

**Petition For Revival Of An Application For Patent Abandoned
Unintentionally Under 37 CFR 1.137(b) (Small Entity)**

Docket No.
23267/19C2

In Re Application Of: **Boyce D. Burts, Jr.**

OCT 10 2003

Serial No.
09/715,898

Filing Date
11/17/2000

Examiner
Latoya Cross

Group Art Unit
1743

Invention: **Additive for, Treatment Fluid for, and Method of Plugging a Tubing/Casing Annulus in a Well Bore**

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Attention: Office of Petitions

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The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to file a timely and proper response to a notice or action by the Patent and Trademark Office. The date of abandonment is the day after the expiration date of the period set for reply in the Office notice or action plus any extension of time actually obtained.

APPLICANT HEREBY PETITIONS FOR REVIVAL OF THIS APPLICATION

NOTE: A grantable petition requires the following items:

- (1) Petition fee;
- (2) Reply and/or issue fee;
- (3) Terminal disclaimer with disclaimer fee--required for all utility and plant applications filed before June 8, 1995; and for all design applications; and
- (4) Statement that the entire delay was unintentional.

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1. ☒ A proposed reply to the above-identified Office Action:

☒ is enclosed. ☐ was filed on _____

The proposed reply is in the form of: Response to Non-Final Office Action of 03/28/02

2. ☐ The issue fee:

☐ is enclosed. ☐ was paid on October 11, 2001

3. ☐ A small entity declaration:

☐ is enclosed. ☐ was filed on _____

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4. ☐ The abandoned application was a:

☐ design application. ☒ utility application. ☐ plant application.

5. ☐ A terminal disclaimer (and fee) disclaiming a period equivalent to the period of abandonment is enclosed.

6. ☒ Since this utility/plant application was filed on or after June 8, 1995, no terminal disclaimer is required.

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Calculation and Payment of Fees

Enclosed are the following fees:

7. ☒ Petition fee under 37 CFR 1.17(m) in the amount of: \$665.00
8. ☐ Fee for amendment in the amount of: _____
9. ☐ Fee for extension of time to reply to Office Action in the amount of: _____
10. ☐ Issue fee in the amount of: _____
11. ☐ Continuing application filing fee in the amount of: _____
12. ☐ Terminal disclaimer fee in the amount of: _____
13. ☐ _____
- Total fees enclosed: \$665.00

The fee of **\$665** is to be paid as follows:

- ☒ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 07-1245
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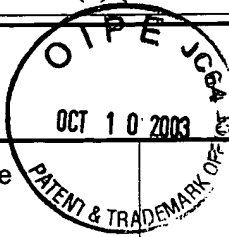
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Statement

The entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the required reply until the filing of a grantable petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) was unintentional.

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